

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 5, under the heading "Cross-Reference to Related Applications", with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/263,022, filed March 5, 1999, which claims the benefit of prior-filed application PCT Application No. PCT/US98/07894, filed April 16, 1998, which in turn claims the benefit of prior-filed application U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/009,802, filed January 20, 1998. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/009,802 claims the benefit of prior-filed U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 60/071,589, filed January 15, 1998 and of prior-filed U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/842,898, filed April 17, 1997. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/842,898 is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/843,704, filed April 16, 1997. The contents of each of the above-referenced patent applications are incorporated herein by this reference in their entirety.--

Please insert the Sequence Listing (pages 121-160 filed herewith) after page 120 of the specification, and please renumber the pages of the claims and Abstract as appropriate.

REMARKS

Claims 1-22 were originally filed in the application and are currently pending.

The specification has been amended to update the priority claim. Applicant submits herewith a "**VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE**" which indicates the specific amendments made to the specification.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.825, Applicant submits herewith pages 121-160, which contain a Sequence Listing for the above-referenced application. The specification has been amended to include pages 121-160. Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.821(f), the content of